

# RCA

## VR708HF

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**MOVIE ▶▶ ADVANCE<sup>3</sup>**  
*Locates the Beginning of Prerecorded Movies*

**VCRplus+<sup>4</sup>**  
**GOLD**

**MULTI-BRAND DIRECTV<sup>5</sup>**  
**SYSTEM /CABLE BOX CONTROL**

**energy**  
**PLUS NEW ENERGY SAVER FEATURE**



## 4-Head Hi-Fi Stereo VCR

- ▶ Commercial Advance<sup>1</sup>
- ▶ Movie Advance<sup>3</sup>
- ▶ Deluxe Back-Lit Master Touch<sup>®</sup> Universal Remote
- ▶ VCR Plus+ GOLD<sup>4</sup> Programming System with End-Time Adjustment
- ▶ Multi-Brand DIRECTV<sup>5</sup> System/Cable Box Control
- ▶ Back-Lit Front Panel Buttons
  - Auto Clock Set<sup>6</sup>
  - Front Audio/Video Input Jacks
  - ShowSaver™ Memory Protection
  - Pro-Tect Plus™ (Child Lock)
  - Automatic Head Cleaning System
  - EnergySaver

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## Specifications

- **Dimensions:** 16.9" W, 3.6" H, 9.5" D
- **Approx. Shipping Weight:** 9 Lbs.

## Remote

### ► Deluxe Back-Lit Master Touch® Universal Remote CRK76VCL

Ergonomic design and color-coded buttons provide complete operation plus control of the primary functions of virtually every brand of remote-controllable TV, VCR, RCA® -DIRECTV™ System, and cable box. Frequently-used buttons on the back-lit remote illuminate for easier nighttime use.

## Picture

- **AccuSearch™ 4-Head Video System**  
The double-azimuth video system produces superior, jitter-free special effects for a clear and stable picture during still/pause, slow motion and forward/reverse search.
- **Digital Auto Tracking**  
Allows playing of most VHS tapes without the need for manual tracking adjustments.
- **HQ Video Processing**  
Special recording and playback circuitry enhances video characteristics, producing high-quality pictures.
- **SQPB (S-VHS Quasi Playback)**  
VCR will be able to play back tapes recorded in S-VHS or S-VHS-ET mode in VHS quality.

## Sound

- **VHS Hi-Fi Stereo Recording/Playback**  
Incredible stereo audio reproduction. Two high-speed rotating audio heads helically scan the video tape to create stereo sound with dramatically-improved dynamic range, frequency response and signal-to-noise ratio.
- **MTS Broadcast Stereo Reception**  
Receive and record stereo sound from MTS (Multichannel Television Sound) stereo TV broadcasts, where available.
- **Second Audio Program (SAP)**  
Decodes the second audio program available on some broadcasts.

## Convenience

### ► COMMERCIAL ► ADVANCE<sup>1</sup> *Eliminates Most Commercials During Playback<sup>2</sup>*

Eliminates having to watch most commercials of a recorded program during tape playback. User records and plays tapes no differently than before. After the recording, the Commercial Advance system locates and electronically marks most of the commercial segments. When a Commercial Advance tape is played back, the VCR automatically scans or fast forwards through the marked segments, displaying a blue screen (or video) during the process. With the Commercial Advance feature, three minutes of commercial time is reduced to approximately 10 seconds (SLP mode), allowing you to conveniently watch your recorded shows in much less time.

### ► MOVIE ► ADVANCE<sup>3</sup> *Locates the Beginning of Prerecorded Movies*

Automatically finds the beginning of the movie on most rented and purchased video tapes. You can also selectively watch the previews, skipping one to the next. With the Movie Advance feature you can let the VCR find the movie while you take care of other things — like make the popcorn! Once the movie is found, the VCR cues to the beginning, pauses the tape and informs you that the movie is ready to play.



### VCR Plus+<sup>4</sup> GOLD Programming with End-Time Adjustment

The VCR Plus+ GOLD<sup>4</sup> System simplifies VCR programming by reducing programming entries. Program<sup>7</sup> the VCR by entering PlusCode<sup>4</sup> programming numbers which can be found in most newspapers and TV listing magazines, such as *TV Guide*.<sup>8</sup> Adjust the end-time, so if the program runs long, you won't miss a minute.

### ► Multi-Brand DIRECTV<sup>5</sup> System/Cable Box Control

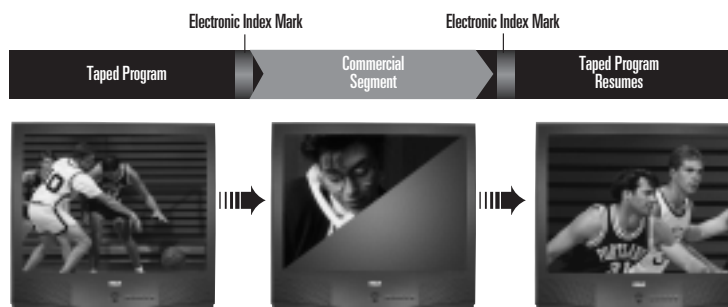
Provides the convenience of multi-channel, multi-program timer recording capability by automatically selecting the proper channel for the satellite receiver (up to 999) or the cable box, at the time of recording. Compatible with most brands.

### ► Back-Lit Front Panel Buttons

Frequently used buttons (POWER, PLAY-PAUSE, FWD, REV) are back-lit for easier operation in dark environment. POWER button has dimmed light when the unit is off for easier access.

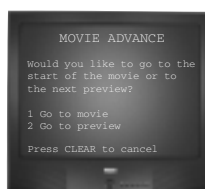
- **Alpha-Numeric Clock/Function Display**  
Provides lighted, functional readout of VCR clock, channel and counter; plus functions for Play, Pause, Stop, etc.

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3 Minutes of Commercial Time Will Fast Forward in About 10 Seconds (SLP Mode).

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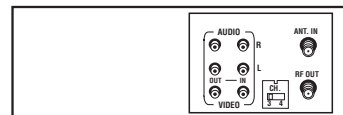


- **Auto Repeat**  
Allows you to specify, by time, a portion of recorded material to play repeatedly.
- **ShowSaver™ Memory Protection**  
Retains timer programs in permanent memory, indefinitely, so you'll never have to worry about losing your programs due to an extended power outage.
- **Pro-Tect Plus™ (Child Lock)**  
Guards pre-programmed VCRs to help avoid frustrating recording accidents or interruptions from children. Conveniently controlled with the press of a button.
- **QuickSet Guide**  
An initial, interactive, on-screen guide makes setting up the VCR easier than ever before by walking you through the setup process.
- **EnergySaver**  
Saves energy by automatically turning off the VCR when it is not being used. Also helps prevent missing timer recordings due to the VCR being left on.
- **Auto Daylight Savings Adjustment**  
Automatically adjusts the VCR's clock twice a year for daylight savings time, so you won't have to.
- **On-Screen Setup Menus**  
A well organized set of menus allow you to conveniently set up time and date, channel lists and personal preferences for automatic features, EnergySaver and remote control address.
- **One-Button Express Record (XPR)**  
Simplifies the recording of a TV show in progress. One button begins recording and sets the program length, so that the VCR records and switches off automatically.
- **Trilingual On-Screen Menus**  
Choose between English, French, and Spanish operating and programming instructions, displayed on your television.
- **Go Back (Previous Channel)**  
Makes it easy to switch between two channels with the press of one button.
- **Quick-Start Mechanism**  
As soon as a tape is loaded into this VCR, it's ready to play.
- **Auto Power On/Play/Rewind/Shutoff**  
Simply inserting a cassette in the VCR turns it on (Auto Power On). When a prerecorded cassette is inserted in the VCR, it automatically starts playing (Auto Play). When the end of the tape is reached, Auto Rewind automatically rewinds the tape. If the VCR is turned off during rewind, it will continue rewinding until end of tape is reached, then shut off.

- **181-Channel Tuning Capability<sup>3</sup>**  
Selects VHF/UHF broadcast channels, and up to 125 cable channels.
- **8-Event/1-Year Programmable Timer**  
The built-in timer memory can be preset up to one year in advance to record as many as eight different programs automatically. Record options include one-time, daily, weekdays and weekly events.
- **Auto Channel Search with Auto Cable/Antenna Switch**  
Automatically selects cable or antenna tuning and stores available off-air or unscrambled cable channels in memory.
- **Simplified On-Screen Programming**  
With the remote control and on-screen displays, all timer programming can be done from the convenience of your chair. On-screen instructions guide the viewer through each programming sequence.
- **Real-Time Counter**  
Front-panel and on-screen displays show elapsed tape time in hours: minutes: seconds (on-screen display only). Makes locating segments easier.
- **VHS Index Search System**  
Simplifies locating the start of recorded programs by placing an electronic marker at the beginning of each new recording. Select an index number and the VCR will locate it and begin playback.
- **Auto Clock Set<sup>6</sup>**  
The Auto Clock Set circuitry reads the Gemstar broadcast signal<sup>8</sup> containing time of day and date information, automatically setting the clock during initial setup as well as after most power interruptions.
- **Automatic Head Cleaning System**  
Safely cleans the video and audio heads and helps maintain optimum picture performance during recording and playback.
- **Go-To Search**  
Advances or reverses to a selected tape counter position.

## Connections

- **Front Audio/Video Input Jacks**  
Provides convenient connection for camcorders or other AV components.
- **Rear Panel Input/Output Jacks**



## Plus

- **Limited Warranty**  
See RCA dealer or visit [www.rca.com](http://www.rca.com) for complete details.

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2 Based on current television broadcast methods.

3 MOVIE ADVANCE is a registered trademark of SRT, Inc.

4 VCR Plus+, C<sup>1</sup>, AllSet and PlusCode are trademarks of Gemstar Development Corporation.

5 DIRECTV is a trademark of DIRECTV, Inc., a unit of Hughes Electronics Corp. and is used with permission.

6 Subject to availability based on local off-air and cable broadcasts.

7 Some antenna and most cable systems require one-time channel guide setup. VCR Plus+ GOLD feature compatibility varies with cable systems and may not function when a cable decoder box is used. See dealer or Owner's Manual for complete details.

8 TV Guide is a trademark of Gemstar - TV Guide International, Inc.

9 System tunes unscrambled channels only. Check your cable company's compatibility requirements.

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